

Mrs. Jung \* Mrs. Schneider  
First Grade Newsletter  
March 10, 2017



Upcoming Events

Singing in Church: March 12th 9:30 am  
Singing in Church: April 2nd 9:30am  
NO School Easter Break: April 13-23  
Singing in Church: May 14th 8:00am  
Last Day of School, 10:30 Dismissal: June 1

Reminders

Spelling/Phonics

Workshops/Grammar

We are working hard at independent work and being able to read, write, and reflect. We are getting ready for more independent work in Second Grade by reading our own directions, finding our spelling words on the website, and building our reading stamina. We worked on being word wizards this week - finding words we don't know, we are unsure what they mean, or we think are juicy or interesting words. For word work we wrote a letter to the teacher using our list words. This is good practice applying our spelling words to our everyday writing!

Religion

We heard about the Prophet Elijah this week. We learned that he was called by God to stand up to the wicked king Ahaz. He challenged the people worshipping Baal by building an altar to God and showing God's power! We also saw God's power when we heard how Elijah went into Heaven on a chariot of fire.

Author Study

We read the book "The Hat". It is similar to the book we read last week called "The Mitten". We compared the two books as to what was similar or different. When we made connections between the books we recognized this as a text to text connection.

Science/Social Studies

Math

This Week's Spotlights

Virtue: Kindness  
Artist: Wassily Kandinsky  
Author: Jan Brett  
Student:



Important Links

First Grade Class Website:  
[www.gracefirstgrade.weebly.com](http://www.gracefirstgrade.weebly.com)  
School Sycamore Site  
: <https://app.sycamoreeducation.com/index.php?schoolid=3020>

Week Highlights: